

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor: Akihiko NISHIO et al.

Group Art Unit: 2618

Appln. No.: 10/528,120

Examiner: H. Vuong

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Conf. No. 8910

For: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING TRANSMIT POWER AND BASE STATION
APPARATUS

SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF TELEPHONE INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Applicants wish to thank the examiner, Hien Vuong, for the courtesy extended to Applicants' representative, David Ward, during a telephone interview conducted on November 26, 2008. The following includes a summary of the substance of the interview.

During the interview, the Applicants' representative reiterated the comments in the Response filed October 28, 2008, directed to all pending claims and the applied prior art. The examiner stated that he agreed with those remarks, and indicated that he believes the claimed subject matter distinguishes over the applied references. However, the examiner indicated that he would further review the application and conduct a new search for the claimed subject matter before determining whether to allow the claims.

In view of the above, it is submitted that this application is in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is respectfully solicited.

If any issues remain which may best be resolved through a telephone communication, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned at the local Washington, D.C. telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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